Sl. No.	Name of Systems/Devices	Installed in Madhya Pradesh upto December, 1996
7.	Small Hydro Projects (MW)	3.25
8.	Biomass Power Projects (MW)	5@

@ 5 Projects are under construction.

Unit for Energy Generation from Urban & Industrial waste in the North-East

575. DR. B.B. DUTTA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the steps taken by the Central Government and each of the State Governments to promote projects for generating Energy from the Urban and Industrial wastes;

(b) whether any units for collecting and processing wastes have been set up in North-Eastern States;

(c) If so, the details thereof and the present status of each project; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (CAPT. JAI NARAIN PRASAD NISHAD): (a) Government of India in the Ministry of Non-Conventional Energy Sources launched a "National Programme on Energy Recovery from Urban and Industrial Wastes", providing fiscal and financial incentives to promote projects for generation of Energy from Urban, Municipal and Industrial wastes. The programme covers all the States and Union Territories of India. Some State Governments e.g. U.P., A.P., M.P. and Maharashtra have announced their policy guidelines regarding allotment of land on long term lease basis, supply of garbage and purchase of power produced from the "Waste to Energy Projects" and have also taken steps for carrying out easibility studies for assessing the potential in various cities in respective States for energy recovery.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not airse.

(d) The Ministry has issued guidelines to all States including the North-Eastern States for annoucning, conducive State policies for encouraging projects for generating energy from Urban and Industrial Wastes. Due to lack of appropriate policy framework at the State level with regard to allotment of land, supply of garbage and evacuation of power generated from "Waste to Energy Projects", private enterpreneurs have not shown keen interest in setting up such projects in North-Eastern States.

Schemes for Promotion of Non-Conventional Energy Sources in Maharashtra

576. SHRI SATISH PRADHAN: will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have reviewed the performance of various schemes for promotion of non-conventional energy being implemented in Maharashtra;

(b) If so, the details of targets set and achieved so far, scheme-wise, during the current year vis-a-vis performance for the corresponding period of the previous year;

(c) the details of steps taken to ensure even utilization of funds allotted under the programme in terms of implementation of scheme to harness the development potentials in a balanced manner and the guidelines issued to the State in this regard; and